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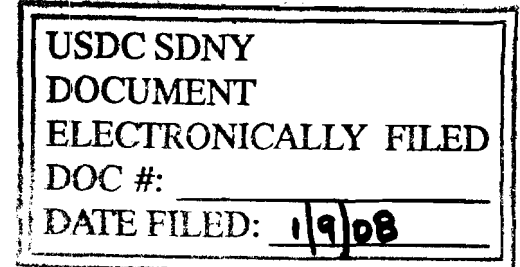
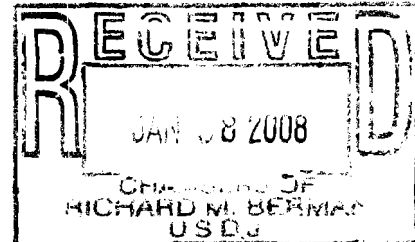
Southern District of New York
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January 8, 2008

The Honorable Richard M. Berman
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
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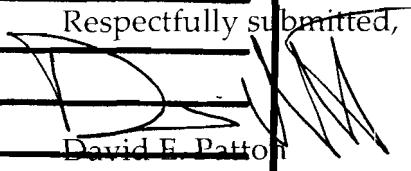
Re: United States v. Cherdelle Benjamin
07 Cr. 467 (RMB)

Dear Judge Berman:



I write on behalf of my client, Cherdale Benjamin (the case caption is misspelled), to request an adjournment of her sentencing currently scheduled for January 10, 2008 at 11:00 a.m. I have spoken with Assistant United States Attorney Benjamin Naftalis, and the Government consents to this request.

I continue to collect records relevant to determining the loss amount for purposes of calculating Ms. Benjamin's Guidelines range and have not yet had an opportunity to draft a sentencing submission on her behalf. The Government has recently produced documents that should make this calculation easier, and Mr. Naftalis has indicated that he may be able to produce additional documents that would further clarify the loss calculation. For these reasons, I respectfully request an adjournment of approximately 30 days to gather all appropriate documents and to submit a letter on Ms. Benjamin's behalf.

Sentence is adjourned	
to 2-7-08 at	Respectfully submitted,
2:00 p.m.	
	David E. Patton
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SO ORDERED:	
cc: Benjamin Naftalis, E.	Richard M. Berman
Assistant U.S. Attorney	Richard M. Berman, U.S.D.J.